



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Darin Trees )  
For: Therapeutic Exercise Device ) Conf. No. 6098  
Serial No.: 10/695,117 ) Art Unit: 3764  
Filed: October 28, 2003 ) Examiner: Lori Baker Amerson

### AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

February 11, 2009

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is an Amendment/Response to the Office Action which was mailed on February 4, 2009 in connection with the application identified above, along with a postcard receipt addressed to Applicant's attorney. Please file the Amendment/Response, mark the postcard with the date of receipt and return it to the undersigned attorney. Thank you for your cooperation.

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 4, 2009. Claims 1 and 3-20 are pending in the application. Claims 1, 3, 4 and 6-20 have been allowed. Objection has been raised to the drawings because of a use of each of reference numbers 120 and 122 for multiple components, and to claim 5 because of the resulting ambiguities in the drawings and specification. Applicant has amended the specification and the drawing of Figure 18 in order to remove the confusing uses of reference numbers 120 and 122. Applicant believes that these amendments also remove the ambiguity in claim 5, thereby placing claim 5 in condition for allowance; consequently, he respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of such amendments.